



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

**RULE 116 AMENDMENT  
RESPONSE TO FINAL REJECTION**

In re Application of: Mark R. Nelson et al.  
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Group Art Unit: 2171  
Examiner: Haythim J. Alaubaidi  
Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ACCESSING A  
DATABASE THROUGH A NETWORK

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**RESPONSE PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

In response to the Final Office Action mailed September 13, 2005, Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to reconsider the rejection of the claims in view of the following Amendments thereto, and the comments as set forth below. Please amend the Application as follows.